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Application of Paula Mary Sosalla et al.      Art Unit 3761  
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For A DISPOSABLE ABSORBENT ARTICLE HAVING A COLOR GRADATION  
FEATURE  
Examiner Michele Kidwell

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AMENDMENT B AND REQUEST FOR WITHDRAWAL OF FINALITY

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,  
SIR:

In response to the final Office action of December 29, 2003, please enter the following amendments and request.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks and Request For Withdrawal of Finality begin on page 7 of this paper.